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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 40th Saturday in 1907 (5th October 1907).

	District and Station.	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday. This week.		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week.		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1907. This year.		Average of past ten years.		Excess (+) or defect(—) of column 4 compared with column 5.		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains.			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c	I.	c	I.	c.	I	c.	I.	c		This week.	Past week.	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		Seers.	Seers.	Seers
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station ...														
	,, City & Taluk...	...	90	1	43	28	90	29	43	— 0	53				
	Hoskote ...	...	31	1	9	22	28	25	87	— 3	59				
	Dodballapur ...	1	96	1	35	17	84	26	15	— 8	31				
	Nelamangala ...	...	29	...	62	15	10	24	57	— 9	47	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·00	9·04
	Kankanhalli ...	1	61	...	97	21	48	24	52	— 3	4				
	Magadi ...	4	99	1	37	30	2	25	72	+ 3	30	Ragi	18·00	14·00	19·41
	Channapatna ...	1	19	1	22	25	39	26	25	— 0	86	Kulthi	14·00	12·50	...
	Anekal ...	..	55	...	90	25	22	27	75	— 2	53	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·75
	Devanhalli ..	3	10	1	16	24	65	25	15	— 0	50				
	Closepet ..	1	76	1	24	26	17	26	67	— 0	50				
	District average..	1	66	1	13	23	70	26	31	— 2	61				
KOLAR.	Kolar ..	...	97	...	58	21	77	18	64	+ 3	13				
	Bowringpet ..	...	51	...	70	16	90	21	87	— 4	97				
	Chintamani ..	3	15	...	91	23	63	17	19	+ 6	44	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·00	8·65
	Mulbagal ...	2	95	...	81	26	73	22	87	+ 5	86				
	Sidlaghatta ...	2	62	1	19	22	82	23	12	— 0	30	Ragi	14·50	14·00	19·10
	Chikballapur ...	...	57	...	70	18	61	28	14	— 9	53	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	..
	Bagepalli ...	3	40	1	12	25	94	18	34	+ 7	60	Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·72
	Goribidnur ...	2	9	1	8	22	4	22	56	— 0	52				
	Malur ...	...	12	1	48	20	54	23	46	— 2	92				
	Srinivaspur ...	2	95	...	66	24	45	22	99	+ 1	46				
	Gudibanda ..	6	18	1	16	26	99	24	59	+ 2	40				
	District average...	2	32	...	94	22	77	22	16	+ 0	61				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur ...	4	69	3	19	31	89	30	1	+ 1	88				
	Maddagiri ...	1	51	2	29	15	28	20	47	— 5	19				
	Chiknayakanhalli ..	3	67	2	59	21	86	20	20	+ 1	66	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	8·02
	Sira ...	...	75	2	40	13	42	18	6	— 4	64				
	Gubbi ...	...	93	2	67	22	40	22	17	+ 0	23	Ragi	16·00	16·00	23·00
	Tiptur ...	3	12	2	30	14	99	19	82	— 4	83	Kulthi	15·00	15·00	...
	Pavagada ...	1	88	1	3	15	78	16	50	— 0	72	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·65
	Kunigal ...	1	12	3	55	19	37	26	31	— 6	94				
	Koratagere ...	3	73	2	38	23	66	19	76	+ 3	90				
	Turuvekere ...	...	88	1	84	16	43	18	29	— 1	86				
	District average...	2	23	2	42	19	51	21	16	— 1	65				

* Not received.

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	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week.	Past ten years fortnightly average.
MYSORE.	Mysore ...	1	67	1	87	17	48	21	35	− 3	87		Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
	Chamrajnagar * ...	1	1	1	57	16	11	23	27	− 7	16				
	Seringapatam ...	1	26	1	83	20	48	19	26	+ 1	22	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·25	7·25	9·17
	Hunsur ...	2	5	1	57	25	60	23	55	+ 1	5				
	Yedatore ...	1	65	1	80	18	69	18	58	+ 0	11	Ragi	15·00	15·00	18·20
	Heggaddevankote ...	...	83	1	56	25	47	27	92	− 2	45	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
	Gundlupet ...	1	74	1	25	20	13	17	25	+ 2	88	Kadale	8·50	8·50	9·52
	Nanjangud ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*				
	T.-Narsipur ...	5	9	1	18	22	65	20	65	+ 1	...				
	Malvalli ...	3	64	1	68	20	40	21	36	− 0	96				
	Mandya ...	...	51	1	4	21	60	20	77	+ 0	83				
	Krishnarajpete ...	2	35	2	2	20	85	22	42	− 1	57				
	Nagamangala † ...	4	9	1	64	17	36	14	52	+ 2	84				
	District average...	2	16	1	58	20	57	20	91	− 0	34				
HASSAN.	Hassan ...	...	67	1	38	27	82	25	36	+ 2	46				
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	2	62	2	22	99	60	78	24	+21	36	Rice, 2nd sort.	10·00	9·00	9·75
	Arkalgud ...	2	84	1	34	28	93	26	83	+ 2	10				
	Belur ...	1	21	2	13	36	5	31	67	+ 4	38	Ragi	22·00	22·00	21·70
	Channarayapatna ...	2	54	2	8	15	71	19	74	− 4	3	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
	Arsikere ...	...	55	1	63	13	61	19	31	− 5	70	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·90
	Hole-Narsipur ...	...	91	1	57	23	28	19	44	+ 3	84				
	Alur ...	...	25	1	59	44	75	33	5	+11	70				
	District average...	1	45	1	74	36	21	31	70	+ 4	51				
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga ...	1	14	1	57	36	17	30	28	+ 5	89				
	Channagiri ...	2	5	2	28	27	87	22	78	+ 5	9	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·50	8·50	11·32
	Honnali ...	3	49	1	7	18	24	19	36	− 1	12				
	Shikarpur ...	3	36	1	17	38	47	34	6	+ 4	41	Ragi	20·00	20·00	24·45
	Sorab ...	4	56	...	92	66	57	49	10	+17	47	Kulthi	15·00	14·00	...
	Sagar ...	4	25	1	6	95	83	70	47	+25	36				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	3	80	1	55	125	14	88	62	+36	52				
	Tirthahalli ...	4	28	2	1	144	93	109	55	+53	38				
	Kumsi ...	...	94	1	59	44	88	35	51	+ 9	37				
	District average...	3	10	1	47	66	45	51	8	+15	37				
KADUR.	Chikmagalur ...	1	36	1	55	28	2	25	96	+ 2	6				
	Kadur ...	...	43	..	83	15	40	14	93	+ 0	47	Rice, 2nd sort	8·00	8·50	9·20
	Tarikere ...	..	76	1	50	30	2	29	13	+ 0	89				
	Koppa ...	4	50	2	57	155	71	114	38	+41	33	Ragi	20·00	21·00	20·90
	Mudgere ...	...	76	2	57	104	83	82	78	+22	5	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	...
	Yedahalli ...	5	24	1	58	86	57	57	46	+29	11	Kadale	9·00	8·00	8·60
	Sringeri ...	2	50	3	12	185	96	135	36	+50	60				
	District average...	2	22	1	96	86	64	65	71	+20	93				
CHITALDRUG.	Chitaldrug ...	...	61	2	62	19	5	18	59	+ 0	46				
	Challakere ...	1	92	1	94	13	81	12	85	+ 0	96	Rice, 2nd sort	8·00	8·00	10·27
	Hiriyur ...	1	21	2	33	18	27	15	10	+ 3	17				
	Holalkere ...	...	74	1	87	20	3	18	87	+ 1	16	Ragi	21·00	21·00	22·60
	Davangere ...	..	22	2	9	19	34	21	53	− 2	19	Kulthi	18·00	16·00	...
	Molakalmuru ...	4	11	1	79	18	8	18	28	− 0	20	Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·30
	Jagalur ...	...	85	1	48	13	54	18	72	− 5	18	Cholum	25·00	20·00	20·80
	Hosdurga ...	1	45	1	32	15	17	16	14	− 0	97				
	Harihar ...	...	17	2	11	18	16	17	42	− 0	74				
	District average...	1	25	1	95	17	27	17	50	− 0	23				
	Provincial average ...	2	5	1	65	36	64	32	7	+ 4	57				

* Not received.

Note.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Elensine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Not received.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Weeding operation is going on in some parts of the Hoskote Taluk.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crop harvested.—Potatoes are being harvested in Devanhalli.

10 Prospects of the season generally good. Food stuffs sufficient in stock.

11. Public health generally good, but plague is reported to be prevalent in the head-quarters of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Anekal, Devanhalli and Channapatna and also in some of the hoblis in the Hoskote and Nelamangala Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for sowing horse gram in almost all the taluks of the district.

Standing crops.—Owing to the recent rains dry crops are reviving, in all the taluks of the district.

Crops sown.—Horse gram throughout the district except Chikballapur and Goribidnur, and gingelly in Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Malur are being sown.

Crops harvested.—Savè in Kolar, and potatoes in Sidlaghatta, are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs available.

11. Except for plague in the Kolar Gold Fields and in a few villages of the Bowringpet Taluk and measles and small-pox in the town of Chintamani, public health good.

12. Cattle healthy, except in some parts of the Kasaba hobli of Chintamani, where "Sappe roga" is prevailing Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing and ploughing in all the taluks.

Crops sown.—Ragi in Gubbi; savé, navane and cholum in Gubbi and Tiptur; gingelly in Gubbi and Turuvekere; Bengal gram in Sira, and horse gram in all the taluks.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Gubbi and Tiptur; ragi in Pavagada; sugar-cane in Gubbi; black gram and green gram in Chiknayakanhalli; til in Tiptur and cholum in Koratagere.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Except for plague prevailing still in the town of Tumkur, public health generally good.

12. Water and fodder available. The rainfall during the week has improved the condition of the Sira Taluk, where there was a little scarcity for water.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Paddy is being transplanted in parts of the Mandya and Malvalli Taluks.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition in all the taluks.

Crops sown.—Horse gram in parts of the Gundlupet, Malvalli and Nagamangala Taluks; black gram and green gram in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi and til in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk.

10 Prospects of the season good. Raiyats and merchants are reported to have sufficient stock of food grains.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Hunsur and Gundlupet Taluks; and cholera in parts of the Kasaba hobli of Mysore, public health generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks, except in the villages of Aiyurhalli and Kudanahalli in the Mysore Taluk, where they are reported to be suffering from "Foot and Mouth" disease. Water and fodder available throughout.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in ploughing fields for sowing horse gram and Bengal gram.

Standing crops.—Paddy and ragi in the Manjarabad Taluk and the Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy, ragi and avare in the Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Arkalgud Taluks; paddy, cholum, gingelly and sugar-cane in the Belur and Arsikere Taluks; paddy, sugar-cane, dod ragi, togari, castor, avare, chillies and horse gram in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; these are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Manjarabad and Belur Taluks; ragi, tadagani, mustard and gingelly in the Arkalgud Taluk; these are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Hassan, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and ague and fever in parts of the Manjarabad Taluk, public health generally good.

12. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder available in all the taluks of the district.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops, viz.*, paddy, ragi, cholum and sugar-cane, are in good condition in all the taluks.

Crops sown.—Horse gram, castor and gingelly are being sown in portions of the Sorab Taluk.

Crop harvested.—Gingelly is being harvested in portions of the Shimoga and Honnali Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season generally good. Food stuffs available in sufficient quantities.

11. Public health generally good. But small-pox continues in portions of the Channagiri Taluk and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and plague continues in the town of Shimoga and in portions of the Shimoga and Honnali Taluks and also in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

12. Murrain continues in portions of the Shimoga, Sorab and Nagar Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Water and fodder available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Paddy was transplanted in Yedahalli and ragi in parts of the Mudgere Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy in Chikmagalur, Kadur, Tarikere, Mudgere, Koppa, Yedahalli and Sringeri; ragi in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere; avare and togari in Chikmagalur and Tarikere; horse gram, cholam and castor in Tarikere; savé and navane in Kadur; coffee in Chikmagalur, Yedahalli and Mudgere; sugar-cane in Chikmagalur, Koppa, Yedahalli and Kadur; areca in Koppa; and cardamom in Koppa and Mudgere; these are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Horse gram, coriander, wheat and navane were sown in parts of the Kadur Taluk.

Crops harvested and yield.—Chikmagalur ragi, yield 8 annas; Kadur, cholum and sugar-cane, yield 8 annas, gingelly, green gram and black gram, yield 6 annas; Tarikere, coriander and gingelly, yield 16 annas; Koppa, areca, yield 2 annas, cardamom, yield 8 annas, Mudgere, cardamom, yield 2 annas.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs sufficient.

11. Except for plague in the town of Chikmagalur and in a few villages in the Chikmagalur and Kadur Taluks, public health generally good.

12. Cattle generally healthy. "Doddaroga" is reported to be still prevailing in a mild form in the Chikmagalur, Mudgere and Tarikere Taluks and that the same is stated to have broken out in a few villages in Kadur. "Lalsankok roga" in Koppa is reported to be still prevailing and that the affected cattle are being treated as per instructions from the Inspector of Cattle Diseases in Mysore. Water and fodder available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops* are in good condition.

Crops sown—White cholam and Bengal gram in the Chitaldrug Taluk, and horse gram in Chitaldrug, Challakere, Davangere, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks.

Crops harvested and yield.—Sugar-cane, wheat, black gram and cholam in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield from 4 to 8 annas; gingelly in Chitaldrug, Hosdurga and the Harihar Sub-Taluk yield from 4 to 10 annas; and ragi in the Harihar Sub-Taluk yield from 8 to 10 annas.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stuffs available.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

BANGALORE,
9th October 1907.

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